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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Tadashi OHASHI

Serial No. 09/697,183

Confirmation No. 4450

Filed: October 27, 2000

SERVICE PROCESSOR CONTROL SYSTEM AND COMPUTER-READABLE

RECORDING MEDIUM RECORDING SERVICE PROCESSOR CONTROL PROGRAM

Group Art Unit: 2155

Examiner: Bruckart, Benjamin R

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

For:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on April 29, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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